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SUBJECT: EXPANSION OF AIR GABON

REF: (A) ABIDJAN 6960 (NOTAL)

(B) LIBREVILLE 1488 (NOTAL)

(C) STATE 154745 (NOTAL), 22 JUNE

1. RE REF A, DEPT AGREES THAT USG SHOULD NOT FOSTER
OR SUPPORT WITHDRAWAL OF GABON FROM AIR AGRIQUE. WE ARE
REPEATING REF C TO ADDRESSEES, WHICH CAUTIONS THAT AIR
AFRIQUE'S ROUTE RIGHTS WOULD NOT BE TRANSFERRABLE TO
INDEPENDENT GABONESE AIRLINE.

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2. REF B SETS FORTH VERY WELL RATIONALE FOR EMBASSY

PROVIDING NORMAL COMMERCIAL ASSISTANCE TO GABON. DEPT
DOES NOT SEE BASIS FOR DISCOURAGING US COMPANIES FROM
PURSUING COMMERCIAL OPPORTUNITIES. HABIB

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